

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

SUGAWARA, et al.

Serial No: Not Assigned; Parent 10/328,966

Filed: March 2, 2004

For: Hard Magnetic Garnet Material,  
Faraday Rotator, Optical Device...

Art Unit: Not Assigned

Examiner: Not Assigned

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Prior to the first Office Action in the present application, please enter and consider the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments** to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments** to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.